

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Jason READING et al.  
Serial No. : 10/055,100  
Filing Date : January 22, 2002  
Entitled : LOAD BALANCING SYSTEM AND METHOD  
Examiner : Kamal B. Divecha  
Group Art Unit: 2151

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated November 20, 2006, the time to respond to which having been extended, to and including March 20, 2007, by the accompanying Petition for extension of time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.